DIVISION ONE February 8, 2010

D056562 Bell v. The Superior Court of San Diego County

The petition is denied.

D054521 People v. Alexis C.

The judgment is affirmed. McIntyre, J.; We Concur: McConnell, P.J., Irion, J.

D056239 Bloodworth v. Superior Court of Imperial County/People

The stay issued on December 18, 2009, is vacated. The petition is denied.

D056699 Clemans, Jr. v. Superior Court of San Diego County/Gardner

The petition is denied.

D055465 In re Miguel A., a Juvenile

The true finding for the offense of battery under section 242 is reversed and remanded to the juvenile court with direction to dismiss that court.

In all other respects the judgment is affirmed.

Huffman, Acting P.J.; We Concur: McDonald, J., Aaron, J.

Court convened at 9:00 a.m.

Present: The Honorable Judith McConnell, Presiding Justice, and

The Honorable Associate Justices Gilbert Nares and Joan Irion

Clerk: D. Moore

D054170 People v. Cluke

D054173 People v. Cluke

Cause called on merits. Charles R. Khoury, Esq. argued for appellant. Randall Einhorn, Deputy Attorney General, argued for respondent.

Mr. Khoury replied. Cause submitted.

D052520 People v. Kramer

Cause called on merits. Nicholas DePento, Esq. argued for appellant.

Theodore Michael Cropley, Deputy Attorney General, argued for respondent.

Mr. DePento replied. Cause submitted.

D054245 People v. Tillis

Cause called on merits. Jean Ballantine, Esq. argued for appellant.

Theodore Michael Cropley, Deputy Attorney General, argued for respondent.

Ms. Ballantine replied. Cause submitted.

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Court recessed at 10:10 a.m. until 1:30 p.m.

Court reconvened at 1:30 p.m.

Present: The Honorable Judith McConnell, Presiding Justice, and

The Honorable Associate Justices Richard Huffman and Judith Haller

Clerk: D. Moore

D055680 In re A.S., a Juvenile

Cause called on merits. Richard Pfeiffer, Esq. argued for appellant. Lisa Maldonado, Deputy County Counsel, argued for respondent. Valerie Lankford, Esq. argued for the minor. Mr. Pfeiffer replied.

Cause submitted.

D055630 In re V.F., a Juvenile

Cause called on merits. Leslie A. Barry, Esq. argued for appellant.

Carl Fabian, Esq. argued for the minor. No appearance by county counsel.

Ms. Barry replied. Cause submitted.

Court recessed at 2:08 p.m. to change panel members.

New panel members: The Honorable Judith McConnell, Presiding Justice, and

The Honorable Associate Justices James McIntyre and Cynthia Aaron

D054941 McConkey v. Steel

Cause called on merits. James F. Dunn, Esq. argued for appellant. Lee E. Hejmanowski, Esq. argued for respondent. Mr. Dunn replied.

Cause submitted.

D054866 Risely v. Interinsurance Exchange of the Automobile Club

Cause called on merits. Christopher W. Bayuk, Esq. argued for appellant. K. Michele Williams, Esq. argued for respondent. Mr. Bayuk replied.

Cause submitted.

Court recessed at 2:50 p.m. to change panel members.

New panel members: The Honorable Alex McDonald, Acting Presiding Justice, and

The Honorable Associate Justices James McIntyre and Cynthia Aaron

D054264 People v. McBride

Cause called on merits. John Gregory Derrick, Esq. argued for appellant. Gary

Schons, Deputy Attorney General, argued for respondent.

Mr. Derrick replied. Cause submitted.

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Court recessed at 3:22 p.m. until Tuesday, February 9, 2010 at 9:00 a.m.

D048239 Bardales v. Duarte

The order is affirmed. The matter is remanded to the trial court for its determination of an award to Respondent of attorney fees on appeal. Respondent is awarded costs on appeal. CERTIFIED FOR PUBLICATION. McConnell, P.J.; We Concur: Haller, J., McIntyre, J.

D054563 People v. Pressley

The judgment is affirmed. Nares, Acting P.J.; We Concur: Haller, J., Aaron, J.

D053347 People v. Sullivan

The judgment is reversed as to the second degree murder conviction and the accompanying enhancement. In all other respects the judgment is affirmed. O'Rourke, J.; We Concur: Huffman, Acting P.J., McDonald, J.

D056126 In re A.H.

Appellant has failed to file a brief after notice given pursuant to California Rules of Court, rules 8.412(d)(1)(A), and 8.416(g). The appeal is dismissed.

D056700 In re Polley on Habeas Corpus

The petition is denied without prejudice to refilling with the appropriate documentary support.

D056564 In re El-Shaddai on Habeas Corpus

The petition is denied.

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D056582 In re Castle on Habeas Corpus

The petition is denied.

D056710 Bays v. O'Rourke et al.

Albert O'Rourke's request for Permission to Appeal dated January 27, 2010, is denied. (Code of Civ. Proc., § 391.7, subd. (b).) The appeal filed by Albert O'Rourke with the Superior Court on January 22, 2010, is dismissed.

D053266 Center Associates et al. v. Altman et al.

The order denying the special motion to strike is affirmed. Appellants' motion to strike is denied in part regarding the Respondents' briefing and granted in part regarding the Respondents' appendix, pages 49 through 127. No attorney fees or sanctions are awarded. Appellants to pay all ordinary costs of appeal. Huffman, Acting P.J.; We Concur: Haller, J., Irion, J.

D055658 In re T.N.W. et al., Juveniles

The judgment is affirmed. Benke, Acting P.J.; We Concur: Nares, J., Haller, J.

D054326 People v. Gray

The judgment is modified by staying the sentence for petty theft with a prior theft conviction (§§ 484, subd. (a), 666) (count 2). As so modified, the judgment is affirmed. The trial court is directed to prepare an amended abstract of judgment and to forward it to the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation. McConnell, P.J.; We Concur: McDonald, J., Aaron, J.

D052520 People v. Kramer

The judgment is affirmed. Irion, J.; We Concur: McConnell, P.J., Nares, J.

D054245 People v. Tillis

Tillis' conviction for pandering and human trafficking are reversed and the matter is remanded. The judgment with respect to sexual penetration is affirmed. Irion, J.; We Concur: McConnell, P.J., Nares, J.

D054822 People v. Woods

The judgment is affirmed.

Haller, J.; We Concur: Huffman, Acting P.J., O'Rourke, J.

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D054627 People v. Bey

The judgment is affirmed with directions to correct the abstract of judgment as set forth in this opinion. A copy of the amended abstract of judgment shall be forwarded to the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation. Haller, J.; We Concur: Huffman, Acting P.J., McDonald, J.

Court convened at 9:00 a.m.

Present: The Honorable Patricia Benke, Acting Presiding Justice, and

The Honorable Associate Justices Judith Haller and Terry O'Rourke

Clerk: D. Moore

D054685 Plaza Home Mortgage, Inc. v. North American Title Company, Inc.

Cause called on merits. Lynde Selden, II, Esq. argued for appellant.

Ryan C. Squire, Esq. argued for respondent. Mr. Selden replied. Cause submitted.

D054564 Quigley et al. v. Toler

Cause called on merits. Kirk Miller, Esq. argued for appellant. Joshua J. Herndon, Esq. argued for respondent. Mr. Miller replied. Cause submitted.

D055119 Mira Mar Mobile Community Homeowners Association et al. v. Kendall West, LLC et al.

Cause called on merits. C. William Dahlin, Esq. argued for appellant. Robert Fuselier, Esq. argued for respondent. Mr. Dahlin replied. Cause submitted.

Court recessed at 10:17 a.m. to change panel members.

New panel members: The Honorable Patricia Benke, Acting Presiding Justice, and

The Honorable Associate Justices Richard Huffman and Terry O'Rourke

D055480 In re J.R., a Juvenile

Cause called on merits. Richard Pfeiffer, Esq. argued for appellant. Carl Fabian, Esq. argued for the minor. Katherine Bird, Deputy County Counsel, argued for respondent. Mr. Pfeiffer replied. Cause submitted.

D054525 People v. Cole

Cause called on merits. Anthony Edward Colombo, Esq. argued for appellant. Hazel Pangan, Certified Law Student, argued for respondent. Mr. Columbo replied. Cause submitted.

Court recessed at 11:02 a.m. until 1:30 p.m.

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Court reconvened at 1:30 p.m.

Present: The Honorable Gilbert Nares, Acting Presiding Justice, and

The Honorable Associate Justices James McIntyre and Terry O'Rourke

Clerk: D. Moore

D054912 California Valley Miwok Tribe v. California Gambling Control Commission

> Cause called on merits. Manual Corrales, Esq. argued for appellant. Randall Anthony Pinal, Deputy Attorney General, argued for respondent.

Mr. Corrales replied. Cause to be submitted at a later date.

D055101 Reyno et al. v. Option One Mortgage et al.

> Cause called on merits. Jeffrey Marc Schwartz, Esq. argued for appellant. Geraldine A. Valdez, Esq. argued for appellant, Option One Mortgage. Jennifer Bender, Esq. argued for appellant, Litton Loan Servicing and etc. Mr. Schwartz replied. Cause submitted.

Court recessed at 2:25 p.m. to change panel members.

New panel members: The Honorable Judith McConnell, Presiding Justice, and

The Honorable Associate Justices James McIntyre and Joan Irion

D055254 K. Hovnanian Forecast Homes, Inc. v. IRC Coachella Ventures, LLC

> Cause called on merits. James Christophe Jardin, Esq. argued for appellant. Deborah Suzanne Dixon, Esq. argued for respondent. Mr. Jardin replied.

Cause submitted.

Court recessed at 2:46 p.m. to change panel members.

New panel members: The Honorable James McIntyre, Acting Presiding Justice, and

The Honorable Associate Justices Cynthia Aaron and Joan Irion

D053980 Hardage Hotels X, LLC v . First Co.

Cause called on merits. Jeff G. Harmeyer, Esq. argued for appellant.

Michael A. San Filippo, Esq. argued for respondent. Mr. Harmeyer replied.

Cause submitted.

Court recessed at 3:35 p.m. until Wednesday, February 10, 2010 at 9:00 a.m.

In re L.C., a Juvenile D056473

> This matter has been review by Associate Justices Benke, Nares and McDonald. The notice of appeal challenges an order that is not appealable in that it precedes the dispositional judgment. The appeal is dismissed.

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D056174 Veronica V. v. Superior Court of San Diego County/San Diego County Health and Human Services Agency

The petition is denied. McDonald, J.; We Concur: Huffman, Acting P.J., Nares, J.

D055836 In re Zachary G., a Juvenile

The orders are affirmed. Benke, Acting P.J.; We Concur: O'Rourke, J., Aaron, J.

D056583 In re Whitten on Habeas Corpus

The petition is denied.

D054544 Krouner v. California Department of Real Estate

The petition for rehearing is denied.

Court convened at 9:00 a.m.

Present: The Honorable Patricia Benke, Acting Presiding Justice and

The Honorable Associate Justices Alex McDonald and Terry O'Rourke

D054887 People v. Corona

Cause called on merits. Mark Day, Esq. argued for appellant. Ian Schuler, Certified Law Student, argued for respondent. Mr. Day replied. Cause submitted.

D054354 People v Carr Jr. et al.

Cause called on merits. John Lanahan, Esq. argued for appellant Mack. Russell Babcock, Esq. argued for appellant Carr. Gerhart Brozio, Deputy Attorney General, argued for respondent. Mr. Lanahan replied. Cause submitted.

D055014 People v. Francis

Cause called on merits. Sachi Wilson, Esq. argued for appellant. Emily Hanks, Deputy Attorney General, argued for respondent. Ms. Wilson replied. Cause submitted.

D054703 Hart et al. v. Shotten et al.

Cause called on merits. Michael Millerick, Esq. argued for appellant. William Tucker, Esq. argued for respondent. Mr. Millerick replied. Cause submitted.

D053828 Linear Electric, Inc. v. Moorfield Construction, Inc.

Cause called on merits. Mathieu Blackston, Esq. argued for appellant. Richard Soll, Esq. argued for respondent. Mr. Blackston replied. Cause submitted.

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Court recessed at 10:25 a.m. until 1:30 p.m.

Court reconvened at 1:30 p.m.

Present: The Honorable Gilbert Nares, Acting Presiding Justice, and

The Honorable Associate Justices Cynthia Aaron and Joan Irion

Clerk: D. Moore

D054883 Rigsby v. Rigsby

Cause called on merits. Jacqueline Rigsby, argued for appellant in pro per, via telephone. Stephen Temko, Esq. argued for respondent. Ms. Rigsby replied.

Cause submitted.

Court recessed at 1:54 p.m. to change panel members.

New panel members: The Honorable Gilbert Nares, Acting Presiding Justice, and

The Honorable Associate Justices James McIntyre and Cynthia Aaron

D054247 Cirillo v. Crooks

Cause called on merits. Richard H. Benes, Esq. argued for appellant, and submitted additional authorities. Stephen Temko, Esq. argued for respondent.

Mr. Benes replied. Cause submitted.

D054210 Montoya v. Shah

Cause called on merits. David R. Blake, Esq. argued for appellant. William Taylor Carss, Esq. argued for respondent. Mr. Blake replied.

Cause submitted.

Court recessed at 2:37 p.m. to change panel members.

New panel members: The Honorable Judith McConnell, Presiding Justice, and

The Honorable Associate Justices Gilbert Nares and Joan Irion

D054831 Lomas v. Dragosz

Cause called on merits. John V. Hager, Esq. argued for respondent. Michael J. Brown, Esq. argued for appellant. Cause submitted.

Court recessed at 3:01 p.m. until Thursday, February 11, 2010 at 9:00 a.m.

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D053210 Coronado City Views, LLC v. Regatta Bay, LLC et al.

The judgment is reversed. The postjudgment order is also reversed to the extent it denies defendants' motion for a new trial, and the court is directed on remand to enter a new order granting the motion. Retrial is limited to CCV's claim that defendants' alleged conduct caused it to incur damages related to the relocation of the transformer from lot 8. The issue of defendants' liability is to be retried as well as damages. CCV is not to relitigate the issue of construction delay damages related to delays in the burying of the utility lines. (See Baxter v. Peterson (2007) 150 Cal.App.4th 673, 678 [appellate court may order limited new trial].) The order is affirmed to the extent it denies defendants' motion for JNOV. Defendants are awarded costs on appeal. McConnell, P.J.; We Concur: Huffman, J., McIntyre, J.

D055684 People v. Beaudette

The judgment is affirmed. The trial court is directed to correct the indeterminate term abstract of judgment to reflect that Beaudette was not awarded any Penal Code section 4019 conduct credits and to forward a copy of the corrected abstract of judgment to the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation. The court is further directed to retract and strike the erroneously filed determinate term abstract of judgment and to inform the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation of that retraction. McDonald, J.; We Concur: Nares, Acting P.J., Aaron, J.

D054661 People v. Shareef

The judgment is affirmed. Nares, Acting P.J.; We Concur: McIntyre, J., Aaron, J.

D053158 MJB Development Group v. Diamond Escrow, Inc., et al.

The portion of the order imposing sanctions on appellants MJB and Winn under section 128.7 is reversed. In all other respects, the order is affirmed. Appellants shall recover their costs on appeal. Nares, J.; We Concur: McConnell, P.J., Huffman, J.

D056736 Mira Mar Mobile Community Homeowner's Association, Inc. v. Superior Court of San Diego County/Kendall West, LLC

The petition is denied.

D056584 In re Hasan on Habeas Corpus

The petition is denied.

D056595 In re Bell on Habeas Corpus

The petition is denied.

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D056568 State of California ex rel. Department of Transportation v. Superior Court of San Diego County/San Bernardino County Flood Control District et al.

The petition is denied.

D055720 In re Destini H. et al., Juveniles

The orders are affirmed.

O'Rourke, J.; We Concur: Huffman, Acting P.J., McIntyre, J.

DIVISION ONE

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D055514 People v. Williams

Williams's conviction on count 12 is reversed and remanded with instructions that count 12 be dismissed; the imposition of 25-year-to-life sentences under section 667.61, subdivision (a), on counts 2 through 11 is reversed and remanded for resentencing consistent with the views expressed herein; the trial court is further directed to correct the abstract of judgment to reflect that Williams was convicted by a jury; in all other respects, the judgment is affirmed.

Benke, Acting P.J., We Concur: Haller, J., O'Rourke, J.

D054941 McConkey v. Steel

The order is affirmed. McConkey is entitled to costs on appeal. McConnell, P.J.; We Concur: McIntyre, J., Aaron, J.

D056596 In re Galinski on Habeas Corpus

The petition is denied.

D056715 Peck et al. v. Superior Court of San Diego County/Crowley et al.

The petition is denied.

Court convened at 9:00 a.m.

Present: The Honorable Richard Huffman, Acting Presiding Justice, and

The Honorable Associate Justices Judith Haller and Alex McDonald

Clerk: D. Moore

D055007 In re Mathewson on Habeas Corpus

Matter called on merits. Brandie Grover Devall, Esq. argued for appellant, telephonically. Gregory John Marcot, Deputy Attorney General, argued for respondent. Ms. Devall replied. Matter submitted.

D054147 Gomez et al. v. Autozone Stores, Inc., et al.

Cause called on merits. Charles Moore, Esq. argued for appellant. Gregg C. Sindici, Esq. argued for respondent. Mr. Moore replied. Cause submitted.

Court recessed at 9:33 a.m. to change panel members.

New panel members: The Honorable Richard Huffman, Acting Presiding Justice, and

The Honorable Associate Justices Judith Haller and Terry O'Rourke

DIVISION ONE

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D054761 Alatriste v. Cesar's Exterior Designs, Inc., et al.

Cause called on merits. Jeffrey Scott Hood, Esq. argued for appellant. Mary R. Robberson, Esq. argued for respondent. Mr. Hood replied. Cause submitted.

Court recessed at 10:04 a.m. to change panel members.

New panel members: The Honorable Richard Huffman, Acting Presiding Justice, and

The Honorable Associate Justices Alex McDonald and Terry O'Rourke

D053413 Bains et al. v. Gardner

Cause called on merits. Patricia A. Meyer, Esq. argued for appellant, Henkel and etc. Reid Mason Figel, Esq. argued for appellant, Gardner, telephonically. Ms. Meyer replied. Ms. Meyer replied. Mr. Figel replied. Cause submitted.

Court recessed at 11:02 a.m. until 1:30 p.m.

Court reconvened at 1:30 p.m.

Present: The Honorable Judith McConnell, Presiding Justice, and

The Honorable Associate Justices Judith Haller and Cynthia Aaron

Clerk: D. Moore

D055977 Duncan v. Superior Court/People-RPI

Matter called on merits. Brian Eric Watkins, Esq. argued for appellant. James Atkins, Deputy District Attorney, argued for real party in interest.

Mr. Watkins replied. Matter submitted.

Court recessed at 1:56 p.m. to change panel members.

New panel members: The Honorable Richard Huffman, Acting Presiding Justice, and

The Honorable Associate Justices Judith Haller and Cynthia Aaron

D054471 Riverwatch et al. v. County of San Diego Dept. of Environmental Health et al.

Cause called on merits. Walter Edward Rusinek, Esq. argued for appellant.

Patrick E. Breen, Esq. argued for respondent. Mr. Rusinek replied.

Cause submitted.

Court recessed at 2:29 p.m. to change panel members.

New panel members: The Honorable Patricia Benke, Acting Presiding Justice, and

The Honorable Associate Justices Richard Huffman and Joan Irion

DIVISION ONE

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D054452 Cisneros v. Lujan et al.

Cause called on merits. William F. Roche, Esq. argued for appellant. Ethan Marcus, Esq. argued for respondent. Mr. Roche replied. Cause submitted.

Court recessed at 3:07 p.m. to change panel members.

New panel members: The Honorable Patricia Benke, Acting Presiding Justice, and

The Honorable Associate Justices Richard Huffman and Alex McDonald

D054229 Pardo v. University of California, San Diego Medical Center

Cause called on merits. Steven H. Zeigen, Esq. argued for appellant. John Robert Liset, Esq. argued for respondent. Mr. Zeigen replied. Cause submitted.

Court recessed at 3:37 p.m. to change panel members.

New panel members: The Honorable Richard Huffman, Acting Presiding Justice, and

The Honorable Associate Justices James McIntyre and Joan Irion

D055167 In re Batie on Habeas Corpus

Matter called on merits. Michael Satris, Esq. argued for appellant. Kim Aaron, Deputy Attorney General, argued for respondent. Mr. Satris replied. Matter submitted.

Court adjourned at 4:15 p.m.

D055267 In re Jolie C., a Juvenile

The order terminating reunification services is reversed and the finding that James received reasonable services is vacated. The matter is remanded to the juvenile court with directions to order a minimum of six months of reunification services. Haller, J.; We Concur: Nares, Acting P.J., McIntyre, J.

D056778 Bowen v. Superior Court of San Diego County/Anytime Towing

The petition is denied.

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D056178 Sommer v. Hawkes

The court has received and considered appellant's letter brief dated November 28, 2009, and respondent's letter brief dated December 3, 2009, addressing the appealability of the September 24, 2009, order identified in appellant's notice of appeal. The matter having been considered by Presiding Justice McConnell and Associate Justices Nares and McDonald, the appeal is dismissed on the grounds it is taken from a nonappealable order, and is untimely as to the May 5, 2009, order identified in appellant's amended notice of appeal.

Under rule 8.104(a)(3), the time for filing a notice of appeal from the May 5, 2009, order denying appellant's motion to stay abstracts of judgment expired, at the latest, 180 days after entry of that order, or on Monday, November 2, 2009. Because appellant first identified the May 5, 2009, order in his amended notice of appeal filed on November 19, 2009, the appeal is untimely as to the May 5, 2009, order. To the extent appellant's initial notice of appeal filed on October 22, 2009, can be liberally construed as an appeal from the May 5, 2009, order, the appeal is still untimely. Under California Rules of Court, rule 8.104(a)(1), a notice of appeal must be filed no later than 60 days after the superior court clerk serves the party filing the notice of appeal with a file-stamped copy of the judgment or appealable order showing the date it was served. The court clerk triggered the 60-day period to appeal the May 5, 2009, order by serving the parties with a file-stamped copy of the order, with a certificate of service attached to it, on May 7, 2009. Consequently, under rule 8.104(a)(1), the last day to file a notice of appeal from the May 5, 2009, order was July 6, 2009, unless the time to appeal was extended under rule 8.108.

Under California Rules of Court, rule 8.108 (c) or (e), appellant's "Motion to Reconsider and Vacate" the May 5, 2009, order extended the time to appeal, at most, to 90 days from May 21, 2009, the date he filed the motion, or to August 19, 2009. Accordingly, both his notice of appeal filed on October 22, 2009, and his amended notice of appeal filed on November 19, 2009, are untimely as to the May 5, 2009, order. If a notice of appeal is filed late, the appellate court is without jurisdiction to proceed and must dismiss the appeal. (Cal. Rules of Court, rule 8.104(b); *Van Beurden Ins. Services, Inc. v. Customized Worldwide Weather Ins. Agency, Inc.* (1997) 15 Cal.4th 51, 56.)

D054525 People v. Cole

The judgment is affirmed.

Huffman, J.; We Concur: Benke, Acting P.J., O'Rourke, J.

D055630 In re V.F. et al., Juveniles

The orders are affirmed. Huffman, J.: We Concur: McConnell, P.J., Haller, J.

Court Holiday